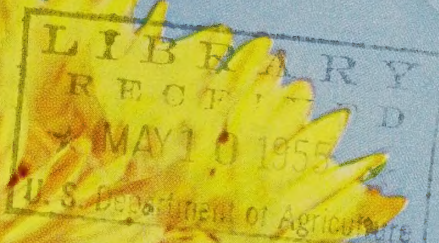


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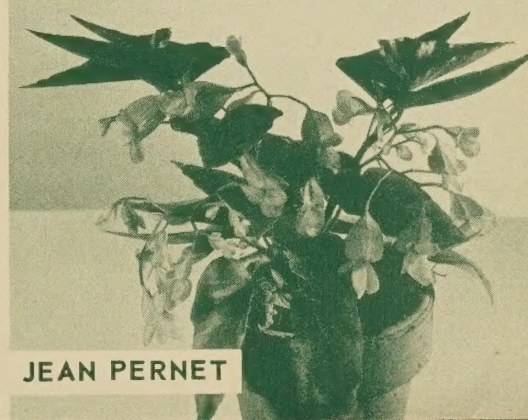
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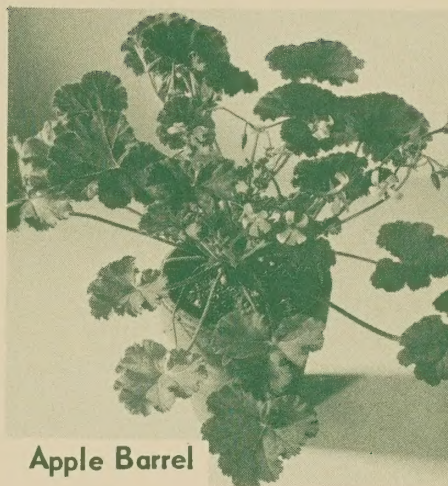
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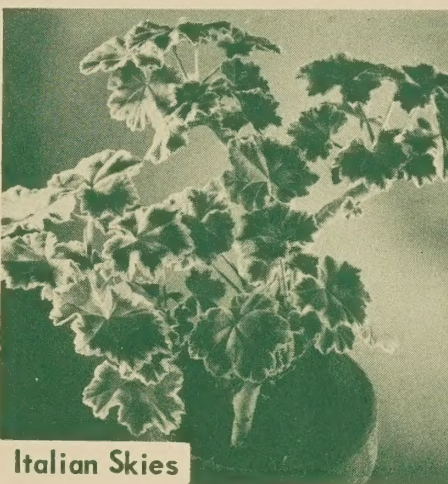
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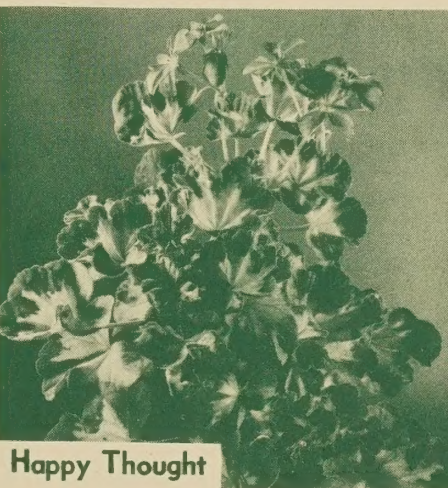
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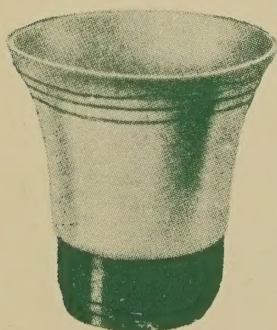
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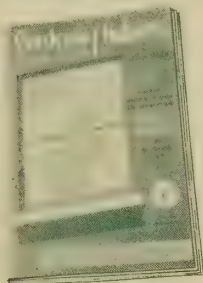
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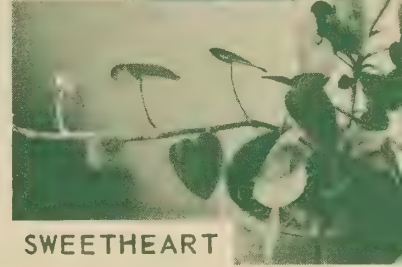
SYLVANIAN BEAUTY



GLACIER



EMERALD JEWEL



SWEETHEART

Ivies are truly a versatile plant. Grows with a minimum of care. Does well in water or as potted plant. Can be used in window or porch boxes for the summer. Makes decorative indoor house plants in the winter. Order your variety now!

SOLEDAD TREE IVY. The only true ivy that grows upright. Can be trained to a ball shaped or branching tree. Has a large distinct fascinating light green leaf, surrounded by a wide margin of Ivory white. Almost resembles Variegated Hooly-leaves. A splendid addition to other ivies or as a specimen plant. Tough...grows well under adverse conditions. Each 1.25

ABUNDANCE IVY. New. Slightly curled leaves, beautifully veined. Each 50¢

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GREEN FEATHER. (Meacheri) Smallest leaved type. Compact, odd. Each 50¢

MARMORATA. Small mottled green and white leaf. Very charming. Hardy. Snowflake & Discolor identical to this. Each 50¢

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GLACIER IVY. Has dainty, small leaves which are light green in center with wide, white bands around margins. Makes colorful vine for the home. Each 50¢

GOLD DUST IVY. Deep green leaves speckled with yellow. Looks like gold dust has been sprinkled on leaves. Ea. 50¢

FAN. Leaves of this Ivy are shaped and veined like palm-fan. Dark green color, branches freely. Each 50¢

GREEN RIPPLE IVY. An easily grown plant. Green leaves rippled deep, sharply notched and pointed. Each 50¢

TELECURL IVY. Small deep green leaves, tightly curled. Free branching plant. One of our favorites. Each 50¢

BIG LEAF VARIEGATED IVY. Attractive large leaves with a light green center surrounded by a wide band of cream. Ea. 50¢

SWEETHEART IVY. An interesting deep green Ivy with true heart shaped leaves. Each 50¢

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GRAPE IVY. (Cissus Rhombifolia) Although this is not a true ivy it is one of the toughest vines for the house. Ideal in homes where the air is hot and dry. 3 glossy, toothed and pointed leaflets make the leaf. Each 50¢

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Colorful Cacti



Beautiful and Unusual FOLIAGE PLANTS



COLEUS



HIBISCUS

CACTI & SUCCULENTS: Cacti are fun and easy to grow. They are intensely interesting, having many odd and curious shapes. Most of them have very beautiful blooms at one time or another. They do well potted in a sunny window, are good in the garden in summer; particularly a rock garden. An assortment of interesting plants, all different for your Dish Garden or sunny window.

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STRAWBERRY GERANIUM. (*Saxifraga Sarmantosa*). Partial sun. Keep soil on moist side. Room moderate temperature. Trailing plant usually growing a foot in length. Round hairy dark green leaves with white veins. The plant has runners similar to strawberry. Ideal for hanging pots or baskets. Each.....50¢

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PHILODENDRON MICAN (Red Leaf) .An easy growing Philodendron, with small heart-shaped

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SCINDAPSUS (Pothos) Aureus. Sometimes called Variegated Philodendron. Green leaves irregularly blotched with cream or yellow markings, making nice contrasting effect. Grows in water, too. Each.....40¢

SCINSAPSUS (Pothos) Aureus Variegated. NEW MARBLE QUEEN. Lovely overall creamy white leaves, green markings. A showy slow growing plant which is very beautiful. Ea..75¢

RAINBOW VINE (Pellionia Pulchra). A small creeper with purple stems; marble leaves with many black veins. Each.....50¢

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GREEN PEPEROMIA (Peperomia Obtusifolia). Glossy green leaves on erect or semi-trailing stems makes this Peperomia a favorite. Each.....50¢

VARIEGATED PEPEROMIA (Peperomia Obtusifolia Variegata). One of the loveliest plant in this genus is the variegated Peperomia. The leaves are irregularly marked, usually with about as much creamy yellow as light green color. They should not receive too much direct sun. Each.....50¢

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VELVET PLANT



FITTONIA



WATERMELON BEGONIA



PHILODENDRON

PEPEROMIA ROTUNDIFOLIA. A semi-vining type Peperomia from Puerto Rico. Sturdy but soft and graceful little self-branching plant with reddish stems. Each.....50¢

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NEANTHE BELLA PALM. A choice slow growing dwarf palm, which is excellent for dish gardens or as individual plants. Ideally suited for small pottery. Each.....75¢

WAX PLANT. (Hoya Carnosa Variegated). A vining house plant, thick green waxy leaves, cream edges; turning pink in sunlight. Flowers long lasting and fragrant. Each.....\$1.00

PANAMIGAS (Piles Involucrata). Quilted dark green leaves, greenish Ming pod shaped blooms. Known as the South American Friendship Plant. Easy to grow, different and a very nice foliage plant. ch.....75¢

ALUMINUM PLANT (Pilea Cadieriei). A newcomer for window gardeners which is easy to grow. Native of Indo-China and is a small upright grower with broad green leaves, beautifully barred with silver; also called the Watermelon Pilea. Each.....50¢

SPOTTED DRACENA (Dracaena God Seffiana). Very hardy rugged house plant. Lovely dark green leaves densely marked with creamy yellow spots. Each.....75¢

WHITE EDGED DRACAENA (Dracaena Sanderiana) Spiral sword-like green and white striped leaves. Good for contrast with other foliage plants for dish gardens, or as individual plants. Rugged. Each.....75¢

RABBIT TRACKS OR PRAYER PLANT. (Maranta Kerchoviana). Interesting large oval light green leaves with chocolate blotches on both sides of the mid-rib. Blotches resemble tracks of a rabbit. Also called the "Prayer Plant"...at night it folds together its leaves like hands in meditating prayer. Ea.....50¢

HOUSE BLOOMING MOCK ORANGE (Pittisporium Variegated). Hardy house plant. Olive green leathery leaves, edged in white. Creamy white fragrant flowers. Each.....50¢

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FITTONIA VERCHAFFELTI. Choice foliage plant, but scarce. Light green leaves, fine pink netting. Loves shade. Keep well watered. Each.....\$1.00

VELVET PLANT (Gynura). Leaves and stems have look and feel of velvet. Deep velvety purple. Likes it hot, on the dry side. Ea.....50¢

PICK-A-BACK (Tolmiea) Excellent table plant. Grows in partial shade. Very interesting. New leaf rides on back of parent plant. Needs plenty of water. Each.....50¢

EOUNYMOUS JAPONICA ("Golden Queen"). Glossy green leaves centered with gold. Strong grower. Each.....50¢

EUONYMOUS MINIMA. Miniature leaves with grey veins. Wonderful trailing habit. Ea.....75¢

BUSH VIOLET (Browallia). Blossoms freely with violet-blue trumpet shaped flowers. Does well either in house or garden. Long lasting blooms. Each.....50¢

SULTANA (Impatiens). Blooms in a sunny window all winter long, and in garden, window or porch boxes. They like the sun but in the garden will do well in partial shade. Red, orange, pink, orchid, white, white variegated leaf, red flower. Each...40¢ 6 for....\$2.00. 1 ea. variety.

COLEUS. Everyone loves the bright colors of the Coleus. The beautifully colored leaves of this plant will brighten up any sunny window. Will give splashes of color to garden spots, window or porch boxes. One plant that gives most color for its value. Our Coleus contains brightest rainbow collection available. Each.....35¢ 3 for.....\$1.00

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HOUSE FERNS. Probably the most useful group of plants as they thrive and add beauty in those spots in rooms where there is little light and no sun. Dwarf type. 6 varieties. Each.....50¢ 6 for.....\$2.50

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CRASSULA PERFORMATAX ("String of Buttons"). Characteristics as above. Ea.....50¢

HIBISCUS (Rose Sinensis Variegated-"Rose of China"). A gorgeous Asiatic tropical shrub; will not stand frost. Makes a good house and garden plant. Leaves broadly oval. Has white and red splashed leaves with tinges of pink. Flowers usually solitary; in upper leaf-axils; 4 to 6-in. long; typically rose-red flaring. Spectacular, showy, both on account of its petals and long column of stamens. Use them outside for the summer. Each.....\$1.50

JACOBINIA. Showy tropical flowering house plant. Leaves ovalish or oblong, flowers rose colored; dense cone shaped flowers nearly 4" long. Keep well watered. Each.....75¢

CHRISTMAS CACTUS (Zygocactus). A single Brazilian specie, spineless Cacti. Popular under the same name of Crab Cactus or Christmas Cactus. Flowers very showy; 2½ to 3" long, red. Unlike most Cacti, Christmas Cactus can be easily grown and is a favorite house plant. It needs more water than other Cacti and is a fine plant for the window sill or hanging basket. Each.....75¢

FATHSHEDERAS. Dark green glossy leaves; upright grower. Ivy-like leaves grow in tree form. Leaves about 3" wide, leathery in appearance. Makes a fine specimen plant or for group planting. Each.....75¢

FATSHEDERA VARIEGATED. Dark green glossy leaves, wide margins of ivory white. Ivy like leaves grow in tree form. Leaves about 3" wide, leathery in appearance. Makes a fine specimen plant for use in group planting. Each.....\$1.00

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Double flowering. Highly prized as pot plants for house culture during spring and early summer. Can be set in the garden in a semi-shady location where they will produce a continuous display of flowers until late fall. Start bulbs in pots, in sandy loose soil with the top of the bulb level with the soil line. In fall, dry up and store in damp peat moss.

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PURPLE KNIGHT. Extra large rich purple flowers; dark foliage. Each.....\$1.50

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SPRING BOUQUET. Rich rose-pink double blossoms on dark bronzy standard foliage. A 1955 beauty. Each.....\$2.50

FLEUR-PETITE. Delicate lavender ruffled blooms. Girl Type foliage. Each.....\$2.00

RED LADY. Fine non-fading dark-red with girl foliage. One of the best. Each.....\$1.50

WHITE MADONNA. Pure white double blooms; dark green girl foliage. One of the best double whites. New in 1954. Each.....\$2.00

LAVENDER BEAUTY. Very large free blooming mauve-lavender with silvery sheen. Healthy green foliage. Each.....\$1.50

NIP'n TUCK. Shaded red orchid white double. Strong dark green waxy foliage. 1955 Introduction. Each.....\$2.00

STAR GIRL. White flowers with blue edges. Choice girl foliage. Each.....\$1.50



CHEROKEE. The reddest of the reds. Rich dark velvety red on vivid waxy green foliage. 1954 Introduction. Each.....\$2.00

BLACK MAGIC. Large dark-blue golden eye double. Vigorous dark foliage. A fine addition. 1954 Introduction. Each.....\$2.00

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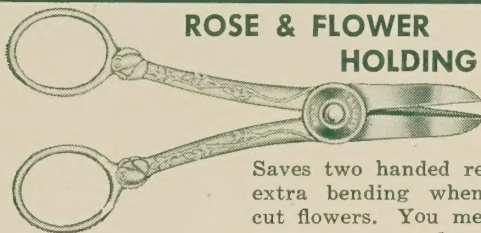
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CHRYSANTHEMUMS

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FASCINATION—Bountiful large 4" double flowers of silvery lavender-pink with occasional blooms of pure white. Best in cool weather. Blooms Sept. 15-30. Fine for cuttings. 75c ea.

GOLD SPOON—Large golden flowers shading to yellow on a dwarf plant. Tube is longer than spoon and same color. 18". 75c ea.

EARLY HARVEST MOON—Well formed double flowers of rich burnt orange. Grow in cushion-like groupings. 12". 50c ea.

HOLIDAY—Large bright golden bronze double flower with domed center. Equal to most English. Blooms Sept. 15-30. 75c ea.

GOLDEN CARPET—Double Golden cushion pompon. Low growing. A mat of Gold. Blooms in early Sept. 50c ea.

HUNTSMAN—Vivid bright scarlet orange doubles overlaid with bronze tints. One of the best, blooms in early Sept. 75c ea.

KATHLEEN LEHMAN—Brightest orange gold doubles deepening to red gold at center. One of the best. 28". 50c ea.

MAHOGANY CUSHION—A fine cushion of Jasper-red doubles shading to mahogany. 50c ea.

MASQUERADE—Masses of one inch silvery rose balls, with deeper centers until maturity. Very fine double flowers. 75c ea.

MING—Chinese yellow to deep rich orange yellow; flowers resemble glorified calendulas. Beautiful double flower-bloom Sept. 15-30. 75c ea.

MISCHIEF—A cute little rascal. Multitudes of tiny 1 inch daisies of glowing, beet root purple to deep amaranth, or rose-red, completely blanket the extra nice bushy 18 to 24" plants. The Mum that looks like a cineraria. Bloom Sept. 15-30 doubles. \$1.00 ea.

MYRTLE WALGREEN—Rich amaranth purple underlaid with silvery lilac, aging to clear mallow purple. Double flower excels Chippewa. 28" Mid Sept. bloomer. 50c ea.

ORCHID HELEN—Sturdy, Orchid pink double flowers of unusual beauty. Very strong healthy grower. 18" blooms Sept. 15-30. 50c ea.

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PATHFINDER—Non-fading bright clear yellow flowers with notched and lacinated petals, as in a carnation, are produced on sturdy plants. Makes beautiful low formal hedge because of uniform growth. 75c ea.

PATRICIA LEHMAN—Sparkling geranium pink with peach center. Double flowers appear fluffy. 75c ea.

POLAR ICE—Glistening blue white double flowers blooming in early Sept. 50c ea.

POWDER PUFF—Dream white pompon. low and dwarf doubles. Blooms Sept. 15-30. 50c ea.

PURPLE STAR—Quilled dahlia purple doubles. Bloom Sept. 15-30. 50c ea.

RED GLOW—Dark glowing double red pompons in abundance. Bloom Sept. 15-30. 50c ea.

RED VELVET—Best of all velvety double crimson chrysanthemums. Late Sept. bloomer. 50c ea.

ROSITA—Compact, light Persian rose button double pompon. Late Sept. bloomer. 50c ea.

ROUGE CUSHION—A superior red. Intense rosy bronze flowers. Bloom Sept. 15-30 (semi-double). 50c ea.

SNYDER—Large apricot bronze double flowers on dwarf plant. Bloom in late Sept. 50c ea.

WHITE SPOON—Long narrow white tubes and spoons with creamy center. Early Oct. 50c ea.

WHITE WONDER—Tall plant with white ball double pompons. Bloom Sept. 15-30. 50c ea.

YELLOW BLANKET—Very Free flowering, clear yellow double button pompon. Tops for cuttings. 20" Blooms Sept. 15-30. 50c ea.

Make your own group collection of these fine mums to give your garden constant bloom and color, right into frost time. And don't forget all the cut flowers too . . . that last, and last . . . at these money saving prices.

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RED VELVET

Deep crimson blooms 3 inches in dia. with soft velvet petals that impart a red glow to your garden in early Oct., very hardy—grow to 2 ft. height. 50c ea; 3 for \$1.25



ADMIRATION

Soft salmon colored petals crowned with brilliant peach centers. Grow in giant sprays of fully double 3 inch blossoms. A rugged grower that reaches 2½ ft. and blooms in late Sept., \$1.00 ea; 3 for \$2.75

WHITE CLOUD

Beautiful, full, snow ball in mid-September. Hardy growers 2 ft. height 50c, 3 for \$1.25



PERENNIAL HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Among the easiest-to-grow plants, Chrysanthemums are extremely hardy and add spectacular color to your garden. They can be transferred from garden to house in the fall, providing you with a lovely, long lasting house plant.

CHARLES NYE: Brilliant gold double flowers 3" in dia. Pyramids to 2 feet or strong erect stems. Blooms Sept. 15-30. 50c ea., 3 for \$1.25.

TRANQUILITY: New Double blooms early October. 18" to 24". Mounds alive from ground up with breath-taking new shades of yellow. 3" decorative, very full and roundly petalled, flowers of moonlight primrose tones passing to lemon canary suffusion in center. Elegant in its soothing, yet striking new effects which will blend anywhere. Nice cutting sprays. \$1.00 each.

FLAMBOYANT: New Double blooms Sept. 15-30 Tangerine scarlet overlaid orange, gradually flaming into orange scarlet with bronzy gold flushes at centers to complete the picture. Ideally double 3" non-fading blossoms; excellent cutting material. \$1.00 each.

ALEX CUMMING: Double blooms early October. Opens pure cerise and matures to delightful rose. Petals incurved at center, recurved when open, on this highly rated chrysanthemum. 75c each.

APACHE: Double blooms before Sept. 15. Orient red to dark brilliant fire-cracker red with golden overcast. Outstanding weather resistant flowers 4 to 5" in diameter with quilled petals. 75c each.

AVALANCHE: Double blooms before Sept. 15. A favorite large creamy white. Fine for cuttings. 20". 50c each.

CHIQUITA: Double blooms Sept. 15 to 30. Compact deep lemon yellow button pompon. 50c ea.

EARLY WONDER: Double blooms Sept. 15 to 30. Large soft pink pompon with lavender tint. .50 ea.

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